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2019 AEI World Forum



Itinerary, Senator Mike Lee

Thursday, March 7

10:52 PM - Arrival, Jacksonville International Airport

Friday, March 8

7:30–8:30 a.m. Early Bird Breakfasts The Cloister

Choose one of the below:

A Conversation with Jean and Steve Case

Robert Doar (Moderator)

A conversation on the three's shared commitment to lifting up those traditionally left behind in our society. They will discuss how policies, the Internet, and support for entrepreneurship can increase opportunities for economically disadvantaged Americans.

A Conversation with Secretary of Labor Alex Acosta

Stan Veuger (Moderator)

A conversation about the issues and policies being worked on by the Department of Labor.

A Conversation with Secretary of Commerce Wilbur Ross

Phil Gramm (Moderator)

A conversation about the issues and policies being worked on by the Department of Commerce.

8:45–10:15 a.m. Breakout Sessions The Cloister

Choose one of the below:

Economic Policy at the Halfway Point

Glenn Hubbard
Gene Sperling
Michael Strain
Kevin Warsh
Mark Zandi

Stan Veuger (Moderator)

Two years in, what is the state of the administration's economic policy agenda? Is the 2017 tax law working as lawmakers hoped? Has the administration's trade policy accomplished what it intended? How successful has its deregulatory agenda been? And what is the policy outlook for the rest of the president's term?

The US vs. China: Who Is Winning in Great Power Competition?

Dan Blumenthal Elizabeth Economy Oriana Skylar Mastro Larry Summers

Derek Scissors (Moderator)

In 2008, China appeared at the top of its game, hosting the Olympics and achieving another year of solid growth. Over a decade later, however, the question of whether China's rise is truly peaceful continues to vex policymakers and scholars alike. The United States and the People's Republic of China are clearly engaged in long-term strategic competition, but does China truly challenge US economic, political, or military hegemony? Does it even want to? How can Washington best manage the risks and continue to reap the rewards of a more aggressive China?

10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. General Session The Cloister

Polarization and Extremism in Policy and Politics

John Delaney Rahm Emanuel Kevin Hassett

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Glenn Hubbard Frederick Kagan David Perdue Gene Sperling Michael Strain Liz Truss

Danielle Pletka (Moderator) Ryan Streeter (Moderator)

Americans are drifting away from traditional policy positions and ideological principles. Some conservatives have abandoned traditional concern about debt and deficits, are moving away from free trade, and have de-prioritized entitlement reform. Similarly, some liberals are advocating for more than doubling the federal minimum wage, guaranteeing employment with the federal government to every American who wants a job, instituting Medicare for All, and providing free higher education. Why is bipartisanship and working together crucial during a time when the tone of political discourse has become ever shriller? Are there any specific policies that can be agreed upon to make progress?

12:15–1:45 p.m. Luncheon The Beach Club

Media in the Age of Populism

Paul Gigot Fred Hiatt AG Sulzberger

Ramesh Ponnuru (Moderator)

The New York Times, the Wall Street Journal, and the Washington Post are the three most prominent newspapers in the country. The editors of their editorial pages will reflect on the challenges of public debate in the current social climate and at a time of rapid change in the media industry.

2:00–3:15 p.m. Afternoon Sessions The Cloister

Choose one of the below:

Are Values the Next Phase of Education Reform?

Betsy DeVos lan Rowe Ben Sasse Isabel Sawhill

Nat Malkus (Moderator)

Over the past 25 years, education reformers have made substantial progress through charter schools, vouchers, and other reforms, usually measuring progress by rising test scores. But has the narrow pursuit of test scores kept us from more controversial conversations about the values that are fundamental to students' long-term success? Students who make good early-life choices, even those with suboptimal test scores, attain the outcomes that we care about later in life. Yet we avoid value-laden conversations about these choices in public schools for fear of coming off as anachronistic, paternalistic, or out of touch. What values should public schools teach? How can we reform our approach to education reform to give values their proper place?

Artificial Intelligence, Big Tech, and National Security

Erik Brynjolfsson Frederick Kagan Eric Schmidt Bret Swanson Astro Teller

Jim Pethokoukis (Moderator)

Will artificial intelligence (AI) usher in an era of explosive economic growth? How disruptive will the AI and automation revolutions be? Is there a dark side to technological advances? Should we be concerned about Big Tech and privacy, the ability of technology to mislead and misinform, and biased algorithms? Are we ready for high-tech weapons and cyber challenges to sovereignty? And what is the government's role in all this?

Gettysburg: Reexamining America's Turning Point

Giselle Donnelly
Gary Schmitt

The Battle of Gettysburg proved an epic turning point for the United States, for the world, and for the cause of human liberty. The men who met on the rich farmlands of Pennsylvania sensed the importance of the moment, yet they had little understanding of the course of rapidly passing events. The Gettysburg staff ride seeks, through individual role play and

group discussion, to recapture the immediacy of decision-making in the "fog of war" and peer through the larger strategic, political, and moral lenses that have defined the American experience since.

3:15–5:00 p.m. Executive Time

5:00–5:30 p.m. Reception The Cloister

5:30–6:00 p.m. Dinner Conversation The Cloister

A Conversation with Secretary of State Mike Pompeo, Moderated by Sen. Tom Cotton

A conversation covering a wide range of topics essential to national security. What's the next step on Iran? Will we push back on Putin? How do we continue to keep ISIS on the run? Do we have a strategy for China? What's next with Venezuela and the Maduro regime?

6:15–7:45 p.m. Dinner The Cloister

8:00–9:00 p.m. Starlight Chats The Cloister

Choose one of the below:

The People Who Are Changing America and How You Can Help

David Brooks

Introduction: Jimmy Panetta

America needs a social, cultural and moral revival. And just in time it is coming—from the bottom up. It just doesn't look the way we thought it would look. How can individuals and community-level efforts provide solutions to broader societal problems?

Why We Shouldn't Fear the Future: A Conversation with Astro Teller

Arthur Brooks (Moderator)

In a conversation with Google's X laboratories' Captain of Moonshots, Astro Teller, Arthur Brooks will explore how the latest advances in technology research can complement public policy, how a major research organization approaches problem solving, and how leaders should be thinking about the impact of new tech developments in order to appropriately address societal suspicions about technology.

Saturday, March 9

7:00–7:45 a.m. Informal Breakfast The Cloister

8:00–9:30 a.m. Breakout Sessions The Cloister

Choose one of the below:

10 Years After the Financial Crisis

Erik Brynjolfsson Martin Feldstein Vincent Reinhart Larry Summers Mark Zandi

Jim Pethokoukis (Moderator)

Has the economy fully recovered from the financial crisis and Great Recession? What are the lingering scars? Are we making any of the same mistakes today that were made in the run-up to 2008? Are policymakers responding appropriately to today's economic conditions? And is the next recession around the corner?

Are We Making Progress on the Opioid Crisis?

Shelley Moore Capito
Cory Gardner
Josh Hawley
Kevin McCarthy
Rob Portman
Fred Upton
Hugo Gurdon (Moderator)
Invited: Martha McSally

The opioid crisis in America has taken a massive toll on communities across the country. It has devastated families, caused people to drop out of the workforce, and led to tens of thousands of deaths each year. How should policymakers respond to the crisis? How can we prevent abuse of legally prescribed opioids and end the trafficking of illegal opioids in our country? Join us for a discussion with members of Congress who have been fighting the opioid crisis in their communities back home and working on policies to help end the tragic proliferation and abuse of opioids in America.

Frenemies: Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, and Turkey

Sadanand Dhume Lindsey Graham

Will Hurd

Norman Roule

Michael Rubin (Moderator)

The United States relies on numerous allies and partners to fight the world's greatest ills. And while many of these countries are trusted partners with goals and values similar to those of the US, many are not. How can the United States navigate a world of terrorists, dictators, and malicious actors when several of its key partners are equivocal friends at best?

President Trump and the Future of Conservatism

Karlyn Bowman

Liz Ćheney

Jonah Goldberg

Yuval Levin

Ramesh Ponnuru

Ben Sasse

Ryan Streeter (Moderator)

It has been said that Donald Trump has fundamentally changed the definition of what it means to be conservative. Is this true? Are critics overreacting? What are the basic principles and policy goals of the conservative movement going forward?

9:45–10:45 a.m. Morning Keynote Conversation The Beach Club

VP to VP: A Conversation Between Mike Pence and Dick Cheney

Introduction: Arthur Brooks

The current and former Vice President will discuss the role of the VP and how the office interacts with and impacts policy.

11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. General Session The Cloister

The Collapse of Trust: The Global Loss of Faith in Institutions

David Brooks

Ted Cruz

Mitch Daniels

Nick Eberstadt

Michael Gove

Iim Himes

Nicholas Kristof

Bill Kristol

Larry Summers

George Will

Paul Gigot (Moderator)

One of the most startling events of recent years has been the collapse around the world of institutional authority and respect in so many areas of public life. Whether it is trust in Congress, faith in the authority of the Catholic Church, confidence in the press, a sense of unity with allies, or confidence in long-standing and established political parties, public opinion surveys reflect a growing discontent with established social, political, economic, and religious institutions. What does this mean for the United States and the world? Is this a temporary phenomenon? And how should public leaders—and institutions themselves—seek to move forward?

12:45–2:15 p.m. Luncheon The Beach Club

Reshaping the Courts: A View from the Inside

Leonard Leo

Mitch McConnell

John Yoo (Moderator)

A discussion on what has happened on the judicial appointments front for the past two years.

2:30–3:45 p.m. Afternoon Sessions The Cloister

The Rise of the Administrative State

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Matt Bevin Mike Lee Gene Sperling Peter Wallison John Yoo

Stan Veuger (Moderator)

Civics classes teach that there are three branches of government. But are there really four? Has the administrative state taken on too many legislative powers? Is it a threat to liberal democracy? And what could the courts and Congress do about it?

4:00–5:00 p.m. Afternoon Keynote Conversation The Cloister

Can Congress Solve Problems?

Dan Crenshaw Mike Gallagher Josh Gottheimer Jimmy Panetta Elise Stefanik Tom Suozzi

David Brooks (Moderator)

Members of Congress will discuss the legislative approach to the nation's issues and whether or not it is effective in solving problems.

5:30–6:00 p.m. Reception The Cloister

6:15–7:15 p.m. Keynote Lecture The Cloister

The Most Important Thing in Life

Arthur Brooks

Introduction: Daniel D'Aniello

Using a blend of cutting edge behavioral science, art, and music, Arthur Brooks will examine the thing most responsible for our happiness, but to which we often pay far too little attention: love. By focusing on how to get more love in our lives—whether in romance or even in the combative world of politics—Arthur will demonstrate how we can become happier people, better leaders, and more successful individuals.

7:30–9:00 p.m. Dinner The Beach Club

Sunday, March 10

8:30–9:00 a.m. Early Bird Breakfasts The Cloister

A Conversation with Secretary of Transportation Elaine Chao

James Pethokoukis (Moderator)

A conversation about the issues and policies being worked on by the Department of Transportation.

9:00–10:00 a.m. Morning Conversation The Cloister

Understanding Brexit: The View from Inside

Michael Gove Liz Truss

Dalibor Rohac (Moderator)

An inside perspective on Brexit from two MPs – how did it come about, and where is the UK headed? With March 29 approaching, they will share their firsthand insights into the series of events that have led to the current situation.

11:22 AM - Departure, The Cloister at Sea Island

2:22 PM - Flight take off, Jacksonville International Airport



October 16, 2018

The Honorable Mike Lee US Senate 361-A Russell Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510-4404

Dear Mike:

lam writing to invite you to participate in the American Enterprise Institute's World Forum, which will be held March 7-10, 2019 at Sea Island, Georgia.

For the past three decades, the World Forum has brought together many of the world's most eminent business leaders, policymakers, and scholars to discuss and develop solutions to complex problems in economics, foreign affairs, and domestic policy. Many of our guests describe it as the most important gathering of the year in the realm of politics and policy.

The 2019 Forum's off-the-record discussions will be candid, timely, and deeply substantive. The enclosed program highlights the breadth of distinguished government, media, and academic leaders from around the world who contributed to the conversation last year.

Your participation as a speaker would add a valuable perspective to our discussions and our pursuit of a better, safer, and more prosperous world. We want to bring the best minds together for our upcoming Forum, and I hope you will seriously consider joining us in March. Specific information on your participation as a speaker will be provided closer to the date of the Forum.

If you would like more information about the 2019 AEI World Forum, please do not hesitate to contact me at 202.419.5213 or arthur.brooks@aei.org.

Warm regards,

Arthur Brooks President

American Enterprise Institute

Enclosures

